



"Enriching Lives"

County of Los Angeles

GIS day

Geographic Information Systems DAY

NOVEMBER 14, 2012

Whereas GEOGRAPHY HAS PLAYED A DEFINING ROLE IN THE SETTLEMENT, HISTORY, AND CULTURAL HERITAGE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY; AND

Whereas GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS (GIS) TECHNOLOGIES ARE A POWERFUL TOOL FOR SUPPORTING EFFECTIVE DECISION MAKING IN EMERGENCY SERVICES, HOMELAND SECURITY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, CRIME MAPPING, HEALTHCARE, LONG-RANGE PLANNING, AND MUCH MORE; AND

Whereas THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY ENTERPRISE GIS STEERING COMMITTEE COORDINATES EFFORTS TO ELIMINATE DUPLICATION, REDUCE COSTS, AND FACILITATE THE SHARING AND INTERCHANGE OF GEOGRAPHIC DATA, METHODS, AND KNOWLEDGE; AND

Whereas THERE IS A NEED TO PROMOTE GIS AWARENESS, EDUCATION, AND TECHNICAL TRAINING AMONG VARIOUS GROUPS TO APPROPRIATELY AND EFFECTIVELY UTILIZE THIS RAPIDLY DEVELOPING TECHNOLOGY; HOLDING A DAY OF GIS ACTIVITIES, OPEN TO STUDENTS, CITIZENS, AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS, WILL CREATE GREATER AWARENESS OF THE BENEFITS OF GIS;

Now therefore, be it resolved THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES PROCLAIMS NOVEMBER 14, 2012, AS "GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS DAY," ACKNOWLEDGING "THE POWER OF LOCATION" AS A NAVIGATIONAL, INFORMATIONAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE AID, AND ENCOURAGES ALL RESIDENTS TO REFLECT WITH GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION ON THE BENEFITS THIS KNOWLEDGE AND TECHNOLOGY PROVIDES.

ADOPTED BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

NOVEMBER 7, 2012



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